



SAN ANTONIO.

On Friday night, December 30, Mrs. I. Tobias entertained the young set in honor of her cousin, Miss Jennie Hesselson of Dallas. The receiving rooms were beautifully decorated with ferns and pot plants. Contests, games and music furnished the evening's amusement. The ladies favor was won by Miss Sarah Sellinger, the gentlemen's by Mr. Weininger, while the consolation fell to Mr. Daust. A three-course luncheon was served to the following: Misses Julia and Lily Arstein, Ella Goldman, Sarah Zellinger, Annie Goot, Dora Hahn, Sara and Ida Brahmsen, Flora Hirschbaum, Sarah Gordon, Nettie and Mamie Zellinger, Sophia Brown, Susie Wilson, Hessels, Tillie and Sadie Vogel, Rose Stoloroff of El Paso, Fannie Gurinsky, Ray and Andrew W. and Jennie Hesselson; Messrs. Sam Bloomberg, Ben Adler, Ned Alterman, Dr. Goldblum, Israel Hahn, Joe Goot, Nevelow Daust, Weininger, Joe Harotkin, Charlie Davis, Mose Harris, Herman Sellinger, Sam Cohen, Charles Garinsky, Jake and Henry Alterman, Morris Novich, Louis Nathan, Alex. Dublinsky, Goldberg, Joe Brown, Hessels, Pullinski and Leon Henry. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. A. Alterman, Miss Mildred Whitlites and the honoree.

ZIONIST MASS MEETING.

Mr. S. Frankel addressed a large gathering of the Jewish population of San Antonio last Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, 1910, at the Congregation Agudas Achim, on Aubrey street. The mass meeting was called by the local Zionist officers for the purpose of arousing Jewish people to the work which is being done in Palestine. The address of Mr. Frankel was very interesting as was greatly appreciated by the large attendance which had gathered to hear of the strife being made by Jews all over the world, to gain a country of our own. The speaker chose to speak in Yiddish and it can be said it was a rare treat to hear such a speaker express his views on this question and relate the work which is being done in Palestine. Mr. Frankel argued with the audience and asked them to be sincere in their work and showed that the opportunities are as good and in most instances far better for the Jew in Palestine than in any other country. It is the hope of the Zionists in this city to again have the pleasure of an early visit of Mr. Frankel which will no doubt stir up the workings of the Zionists in this city.

B'nai B'rith Celebration.

More than 300 members of the Edar Lodge of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, guests and visitors, attended the B'nai B'rith day celebration which was held in Harmony Hall Thursday, Dec. 29, 1910. Special addresses were delivered by Henry J. Dannenbaum of Houston, district president of the grand lodge No. 7, and by G. A. Levi of Dallas, past president of the same lodge. Following the addresses was a dance in which a large number of those present participated.

Messrs. Levi and Dannenbaum remained in the city Friday and with the assistance of Messrs. H. Hirschberg, Leon A. Bair, L. A. Freed, L. N. Lee and J. M. Oppenheimer, excellent propaganda work was done and a canvass of the city was made and about 75 applications of new members were received. The good work of Messrs. Levi and Dannenbaum with the assistance of the local committee is quite encouraging to the local B'nai B'rith and it is hoped that a greater interest will be taken in the workings of the order from this date on.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Perl and children left for Houston Sunday to spend a few days visiting relatives. * * * Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ney returned home Sunday from a short visit to Sherman and Marshall. They were accompanied home by Miss Margaret Dopplemyer of Marshall, who will be their guest for several days. * * * Mrs. R. M. Mothner entertained with cards Wednesday afternoon complimentary to the visitors and their hostess and after the games Mrs. Mothner presented each of the visitors with silver picture frames. A salad course was served. Among those present were: Misses Betty Levine, Mamie Levine, Ophella Meyer, Edith Hecht, Janet Hecht, Rosalie Mothner, Mrs. E. E. Krauss, Mrs. S. Rosen, Mrs. M. M. Mothner and the hostess. * * * Mrs. J. E. Jones entertained very charmingly with cards Friday afternoon for the members of the Friday Card Club

by Jacob Label of Terrell. Mr. Label was followed by Dr. J. French of Waco, who had a big surprise for those present. In eloquent and appropriate words Mr. French spoke of the arduous labors that Prof. French had so faithfully and willingly performed in the cause of Zionism and in behalf of Texas Zionists presented that gentleman with a very pretty and appropriately inscribed gold medal. In words of sincere gratitude Mr. Freed responded.

\$400.00 for National Fund.

Mr. Abe Gordon was next called on in behalf of the National fund. Under ordinary conditions Mr. Gordon is a most capable speaker, but on this occasion and on this subject he was frequent and enthusiastic and his enthusiasm seemed to be contagious. In less than half hour the National fund was richer by over \$400.00.

Dancing wound up the festive occasion. Some of the guests left on the midnight trains while many remained over till Wednesday noon.

This convention was spoken of as being the most successful held since the founding of the organization and the Houston Zionists were given much praise for the manner in which the details had been attended to.

leaves. * * * Mrs. Chas. Chinski who attended A. & M. is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chinski. * * * Miss Irma Levy returns to New Orleans this week to re-enter Sophie Newcomb. * * * Miss Estelle Cahn, who is attending the C. I. A. at Denton, is home for the holidays.

The Temple Literary society of Congregation Emanuel last night gave a very interesting and impressive celebration commemorating the victory of the Maccabees over the Syrians in the year 196 B. C. The celebration was given in Harmony hall and was under the auspices of the Harmony Club. The following very interesting program was carried out:

- Introductory remarks
- Music
- Paper
- Song
- Remarks
- Piano duet
- Paper
- Song
- Violin
- Remarks
- Playlet, "The Night of Lights," cast of characters:
- Samuel Rothbaum, the father....
- Pauline, his wife
- Henrietta and Joseph, their children
- Delma Bliss and Levi Williams
- Henry Hassberg, Mrs. Rothbaum's brother
- Esther, his wife
- Gertrude Wolfstein and Morris Wolfstein, cousins of the Rothbaum children
- Henrietta Lederer, Isadore Harris Chanukah hymn
- Sabbath school children

After the program was completed dancing was indulged in and refreshments served and the evening was a most enjoyable one. * * * Among the who attended the Beavers Year Ball Monday night were Misses Ophella Meyer of Waco, Miss Marguerite Dopplemyer of Marshall, Betty and Mamie Levine of Houston, Belle Hyman of Breham.